

THE
NEW-ENGLAND

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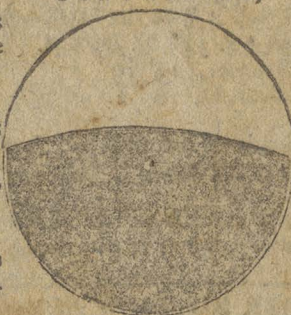
And Gentleman's and Lady's DIARY,
For the YEAR of Our LORD CHRIST,

1782:

Being the second Year after BISSEXTILE or
LEAP-YEAR;
And the sixth Year of AMERICAN INDEPENDENCE.

CONTAINING,

Lunations;
Eclipses of the
Luminaries;
Judgment of
the Weather;
Cauts; ris-
ing, setting,
and setting of
the 7 Stars;
Sun & Moon's
rising and set-
ting;



Moon's place;
time of High
Water; public
Roads; table
of Interest at
6 per Cent.
Freemen's
Meetings in
the State of
Connecticut,
Poetry, &c.
&c. &c.

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ECLIPSES for A. D. 1782.

THERE will be four Eclipses this Year, two of the Sun and two of the Moon, in the following Order :

I. The first will be of the **MOON**, March 29th Day, in the Morning, visible, by Calculation, as follows,

	h.	m.	sec.
Beginning,	2	30	26
Middle, - - -	3	50	0
End, - - -	5	9	34
Duration, - - -	2	39	8
Digits eclipsed, $7\frac{6}{10}$ on the south Side,			
Moon's Latitude, at the 8 41' 1" N. D.			
D's Place $\simeq 8^{\circ} 48'$.			

(See the Figure in the Title Page.)

II: The second will be of the **SUN**, April 12th, in the Afternoon, visible, if the Air be clear : Calculated as follows, viz.

	h.	m.	} M. Time. Afternoon.
Begins to be vifible, at	0	32	
Middle, - - - - -	2	4	
End, - - - - -	3	6	
Duration, - - - - -	2	34	

Digits eclipsed, $4\frac{4}{10}$ on the northwesterly Part.
 Moon's Lat. $36^{\circ} 32''$ N. Decend.
 D's Semidiameter, $14' 50''$
 ☉'s Semidiameter, $16' 2''$

III. The third is of the **MOON**, September 21st, at 9 o'Clock 42 Min. in the Morning, invisible.

IV. The fourth and last will be of the **SUN**, October 6th, at 10 Minutes past 8 at Night, invisible.

VULGAR NOTES for the Year 1782.

Golden Number	16	Cycle of the Sun	27
Epa&	15	Dominical Letter	F

The Planet **VENUS** will be Evening Star until the 23d Day of March, then Morning Star to the Year's End.

JANUARY hath 31 Days.

IN genial Winter, swains enjoy their store,
 Forget their hardships, and recruit for more.
 The farmer to full bowls, invites his friends,
 And what he gets with pain, with pleasure spends.

New Moon 13 Day 2 After. | Full Moon 29 Day 4h. 42m.
 First Quar. 21 Day 8 Morn. | (Morn.)

M ^W Kalendar, &c.		[ri.]	[set]	[ful]	[sea]	[pla.]	[r.]	[s.]
13	Inf. c. Boston & York Circum.	7	28	5	10	34	heart	6 8
24	7* ^s south 8h 40m	7	27	5	11	22	Ω	7 16
35	Days Length 9h 6m	7	27	5	12	14	belly	8 29
46	Newton born 1643. cold.	7	26	5	1	6	♂	9 45
57	☉ slow of clock 6m.	7	26	5	1	58	reins	11 1
6 F	EPIPHANY. Frosty	7	25	5	2	51	☾	Morn
72	Inf. c. Bristol. Weather.	7	25	5	3	42	☾	0 16
83	Nights length 14h 48m.	7	24	5	4	34	secrets	1 31
94	Clear & cold.	7	24	5	5	30	♂	2 41
105	Now look out for	7	23	5	6	26	thigh	3 50
116	a storm.	7	22	5	7	12	♂	5 8
127	7* ^s so. 7h. 49m. cloudy.	7	21	5	8	4	kn-ee	6 25
13 F	1st past EPIPHANY.	7	21	5	8	56	☾	Diers
142	Snow or Rain.	7	20	5	9	44	legs	5 26
153	Twilight ends 6h 20m.	7	19	5	10	36	☾	6 35
164	Days length 9h 24m.	7	18	5	11	26	feet	7 42
175	A spell of	7	18	5	12	11	✕	8 48
186	clear Weather.	7	17	5	12	55	✕	9 50
197	☉ enters ☾ 5h Afternoon.	7	16	5	1	39	hea	10 54
20 F	2d past EPIPHANY.	7	15	5	2	23	☾	11 56
212	Inf. c. E. Greenwich. D Ap.	7	14	5	3	7	neck	Morn
223	Money and Wood are very	7	13	5	3	51	8	1 0
234	necessary; but where	7	12	5	4	35	8	2 6
245	shall we have them?	7	11	5	5	19	arms	3 8
256	Look out for	7	10	5	6	3	☾	4 5
267	high Winds, and	7	9	5	6	45	brea	5 3
27 F	SEPTUAGESIMA. a right	7	8	5	7	33	☾	5 59
282	☉ slow clock 14m. cold	7	7	5	8	19	heart	6 54
293	driving winter-like	7	6	5	9	15	Ω	D rise
304	K. CHARLES I. beh.	7	5	5	10	7	Ω	6 20
315	storm of snow.	7	3	5	10	59	belly	7 5

FEBRUARY hath 28 Days.

PALE Fear does Things so like a Witch,
 'Tis hard t' unriddle which is which,
 That makes Men in the Dark see Visions,
 And hug themselves with Apparitions;
 And when their Eyes discover least,
 Discern the subtlest Object best.

Hud.

Last Quart. 5 Day 2 Morn.

New 12 Day 4h 34m Mor

First Quart. 20 Day 5 Mor.

Full Moon 27 Day 5h 29m Af.

M/W

Kalendar, &c.

[ris] [set] [Full sea] [Signs.] [r.] [D.] [s.]

1	6	☉ flow of clock 14 m.	7	25	11	51	♈	9	16
2	7	P V M. 7* so. 6h 32m.	7	15	12	47	reins	10	25
3	8	SEXA. ☉ Per.	7	05	1	39	☾	11	35
4	2	cold chilly Winds.	6	59	6	23	secret	Morn	
5	3	A strange confusion	6	57	6	3	23	♈	0 57
6	4	in some heads full of conceit.	6	56	6	4	15	thigh:	2 11
7	5	☉ 19 ^{mo} The weather is	6	55	6	5	9	♈	3 10
8	6	coming more settled :	6	54	6	6	1	knee:	4 11
9	7	but a storm of rain or snow	6	53	6	6	45	♈	5 5
10	8	QUINQ Shrove sunday.	6	51	6	7	37	legs	6 1
11	2	is coming.	6	50	6	8	27	☾	6 49
12	3	Inf. c. Northa. Shrove tues.	6	49	6	9	15	☾	D sets
13	4	LENT. A driving snow	6	48	6	10	3	feet	6 40
14	5	VALENTINE. storm.	6	46	6	10	47	☾	7 33
15	6	Nights length 13h 30m.	6	45	6	11	31	head	8 52
16	7	D Aboge. Fair weather.	6	44	6	12	15	☾	9 54
17	8	F 1st SUND. in LENT.	6	42	6	12	59	neck	10 57
18	2	Inf. c. S. Kingston.	6	41	6	1	43	☾	11 56
19	3	Sup. c. Fairfield, & Boston.	6	40	6	2	27	☾	Morn
20	4	Great combustions	6	38	6	3	11	arms	0 54
21	5	among ambitious worldlings.	6	37	6	3	55	☾	1 50
22	0	Variable Weather.	6	36	6	4	39	breast	2 27
23	7	☉ flow of clock 14m.	6	34	6	5	27	☾	3 22
24	8	F 1st MATTHIAS. 2d in LENT.	6	33	6	6	15	☾	4 20
25	2	☉ 7 ^{mo} D.ys length 10h 56m	6	32	6	6	59	heart	5 9
26	3	Inf. c. N. Haven.	6	30	6	7	51	☾	5 57
27	4	Clouds up for a	6	29	6	8	45	belly	D set
28	5	storm of snow or rain.	6	28	6	9	37	☾	6 52

MARCH hath 31 Days.

As Oriⁿ's bands dissolve, the farmer now
With wounding steel gives earth a furrow'd brow,
And as he tugs the peaceful plough along,
Sweetens his labour with some rural song.

Last Quart. 6 Day 10 Morn. First Quart. 21 Day Midnigh.
New D 13 Day 9h 16m Aft. Full M. 29 Day 3h 47m Mer.

M/W	Kalendar, &c.	ri. O. f. full sea	Signs.	ri. D. s.
1 6	⊙ 11 ✕ Strife and Debate	6 26 6 10 33	reins	8 11
2 7	hurt a state.	6 25 6 11 29	☰	9 26
3 F	3d in LENT. D Perig.	6 23 6 12 25	secrets	10 41
4 2	Sup. c. Newport. cold raw	6 22 6 1 21	m	11 51
5 3	Sup. c. Hartford. winds.	6 21 6 2 17	highs	Morn.
6 4	I. c. Portsmo. A remarkable	6 19 6 3 9	↑	1 0
7 5	display of humane Courage.	6 18 6 4 1	knees	1 53
8 6	7* ^s set 11h. 49m. Now	6 16 6 4 49	☿	2 58
9 7	Twilight beg 4 ^h 40m come	6 15 6 5 37	☿	3 53
10 8	4th in LENT. Rain	6 14 6 6 25	legs	4 33
11 2	or snow.	6 12 6 7 13	☿	5 6
12 3	Malicious spies are prying	6 11 6 7 56	feet	5 39
13 4	⊙ 23 ✕ into the Actions	6 10 6 8 39	✕	☉ sets
14 5	⊙ flow clock 9m. of a	6 8 6 9 24	head	6 43
15 6	Great Max.	6 7 6 10 7	☿	7 46
16 7	7* ^s set 11h. 20m.	6 5 6 10 51	☿	9 2
17 F	St. PATRICK. D Apo.	6 4 6 11 35	neck	10 16
18 2	Sup. c. Providence. Various	6 3 6 12 19	8	11 28
19 3	Sup. c. Windham. uncertain	6 1 6 1 3	arms	Morn.
20 4	⊙ enters the vernal equinox	6 0 6 1 47	II	0 10
21 5	Morn. Weather.	5 58 7 2 31	II	1 14
22 6	Nights length 11h 54m.	5 57 7 3 15	breast	2 0
23 7	chilly Winds.	5 56 7 4 3	☿	2 35
24 F	PALM SUNDAY. Moist	5 54 7 4 51	heart	3 10
25 2	LADY DAY. Air.	5 53 7 5 47	☿	4 5
26 3	Sup. c. Norwich. I. c. Ipsw	5 51 7 6 39	belly	4 25
27 4	A (& Nantucket	5 50 7 7 31	m	4 48
28 5	driving storm	5 49 7 8 23	reins	5 12
29 6	GOOD FRIDAY. is	5 47 7 9 19	☰	D rise
30 7	near.	5 46 7 10 17	secrets	8 58
31 F	EASTER SUNDAY. D Per.	5 45 7 11 7	m	10 20

APRIL hath 30 Days.

NOW fruitful show'rs abound, and pearly rains
 Descend in silence, to refresh the plains,
 And swell the roots and plants, the buds put forth
 And infant spring lies strug'ling at the birth.

Last Quart. 4 Day 7 Aftern. | First Quar. 20 Day Midnight
 New D 12 Day oh 58m Aft. | Full Moon 27 Day 11m Aft.

M W		Kalendar, &c.	[ri. ☉ f.]		full sea	[s pl. r. ☉ f.]				
1	2	Sup. c. S. Kinstown.	5	43	7	12	14	highs	11	20
2	3	Inf. c. N. Haven & Barnst.	5	42	7	1	0	♂	Morn.	
3	4	Day's length 12h. 38m.	5	41	7	1	52	♂	0	17
4	5	Cold Nights, but	5	39	7	2	44	knees	1	3
5	6	☉ slow clock 3 m.	5	38	7	3	32	☿	1	53
6	7	7* set 10h. 2m. pleasant	5	36	7	4	20	legs	2	34
7	8	1st after EASTER. Days.	5	35	7	5	8	☿	3	9
8	9	Sup. c. Bristol. A storm	5	34	7	5	56	feet	3	32
9	10	Inf. c. Harf. Plym. & York.	5	32	7	6	40	☿	3	56
10	11	is near at Hand.	5	31	7	7	24	☿	4	45
11	12	Days increase 4 hours.	5	30	7	8	8	head	5	33
12	13	☉ eclipsed. The Man is	5	28	7	8	54	☿	☿	sets
13	14	D Apoge. dead to the World	5	27	7	9	48	neck	7	51
14	15	2d after EASTER. who is	5	26	7	10	22	8	8	50
15	16	☉ and clock together.	5	24	7	11	6	8	9	48
16	17	Inf. c. Fairfield & Boston.	5	23	7	11	50	arms	10	46
17	18	separated from Money.	5	22	7	12	34	☿	11	38
18	19	Nights Length 10h 42m	5	21	7	1	18	breast	Morn.	
19	20	☉ fast of clock, 1m. ☉ in 8	5	19	7	2	2	☿	0	25
20	21	Showers, and perhaps	5	18	7	2	48	heart	1	11
21	22	3d past EASTER. Thunder	5	17	7	3	36	☿	2	4
22	23	in some places.	5	15	7	4	24	☿	2	38
23	24	Inf. c. Litchfield, A. c. Worcest.	5	14	7	5	16	belly	3	3
24	25	smoky Air.	5	13	7	6	12	☿	3	32
25	26	St. MARK. ☉ 5 ☿	5	12	7	7	4	reins	3	54
26	27	7* set 8h. 48 m. A storm is	5	11	7	8	0	☿	4	21
27	28	D Perige. coming on,	5	9	7	8	54	secrets	☿	rise
28	29	4th past EASTER. or I am	5	8	7	9	50	☿	8	53
29	30	c. E. Greenwich. mis-	5	7	7	10	46	highs	10	3
30		Sup. c. Northampton. taken.	5	6	7	11	42	♂	11	0

MAY hath 31 Days.

BEHOLD the Beauties of the flow'ry spring !
 Hark ! how the Birds among the Branches sing !
 From Heav'n each Night Nectarian Dews descend,
 And some Delight does ev'ry sense befriend.

Last Quart. 4 Day 6 Morn. | First Quart. 20 Day 4 Morn.
 New Moon 12 Day 4 Mor. | Full ☉ 26 D. 7h. 32m. Aft.

M W	Kalendar, &c.	ri. ☉	Ful	sea	☉ s. pl.	ri. ☉
1 4	GEN. ELECTION <i>Newport.</i>	5 5 7	12 34	knees	11 58	
2 5	Days increased 4h 54m	5 3 7	1 26	☿	Morn.	
3 6	☉ fast cl. 4m. smoky	5 2 7	2 18	legs	0 51	
4 7	thick air.	5 1 7	3 6	☿	1 30	
5 F	ROGATION.	5 0 7	3 54	feet	2 7	
6 2	7*s fet 8h. 7m.	4 59 8	4 38	☿	2 41	
7 3	☉ 17 8 Warm Weather.	4 58 8	5 22	☿	3 2	
8 4	Days Length 14h. 6m.	4 57 8	6 6	head	3 29	
9 5	GEN. ELECTION <i>Hartford.</i>	4 56 8	6 50	☿	3 41	
10 6	some showers.	4 55 8	7 34	neck	4 2	
11 7	D Apoge. sp. ☿ so. 10h. 4	4 54 8	8 22	☿	4 32	
12 F	Faint calls,	4 53 8	9 10	☿	D sets	
13 2	Mars thunders,	4 52 8	9 50	arms	8 47	
14 3	and the Field's in Flames.	4 51 8	10 34	☿	9 43	
15 4	sup. c. <i>Barnstable.</i>	4 50 8	11 18	breaſt	10 31	
16 5	White flying	4 49 8	12 2	☿	11 28	
17 6	clouds, and	4 48 8	12 46	☿	Morn.	
18 7	Days Length 14h. 26m.	4 47 8	1 34	heart	0 12	
19 F	WHIT SUNDAY. ☉ 29 8	4 46 8	2 22	☿	0 47	
20 2	perhaps some Rain.	4 45 8	3 10	belly	1 16	
21 3	Sup: c. <i>Phym.</i> Inf. c. <i>Camb.</i>	4 44 8	4 2	☿	1 44	
22 4	(& <i>Springfield.</i>	4 43 8	4 54	reins	2 7	
23 5	Thunder showers	4 42 8	5 50	☿	2 29	
24 6	about	4 42 8	6 46	secrets	2 59	
25 7	D Perige. this Time.	4 41 8	7 42	☿	3 30	
26 F	TRINITY SUNDAY.	4 40 8	8 38	highs	☉ rise	
27 2	Inf. c. <i>Newport.</i>	4 39 8	9 34	☿	8 52	
28 3	High Tides.	4 39 8	10 30	knees	9 51	
29 4	GEN. ELECTION <i>Boston.</i>	4 38 8	11 26	☿	10 50	
30 5	Days Length 14h. 46m.	4 37 8	12 22	legs	11 31	
31 6	☉ fast of clock 3m.	4 37 8	1 14	☿	Morn.	

JUNE hath 30 Days.

HOW happy is the harmless Country-Maid,
 Who rich by Nature scorns superfluous Aid!
 Whose modest Cloaths no wanton Eyes invite,
 But like her soul preserves the native White.—

Last Quar. 2 Day 6 After. | First Quart. 18 Day 1 After.
 New M. 10 D. 8h. 27m. Aft | Full M. 25 D. 3h. 33m. Mor.

M W	Kalendar, &c.	ri. ☉.	Ful sea	Signs.	r. D s.
1 7	☉ fast 01 clock 3m.	4 36 8	2 2	☿	0 7
2 7	1st past TRINITY.	4 36 8	2 46	teet	0 40
3 2	Now look for hot	4 35 8	3 30	☿	1 0
4 3	Inf. c. Pownalb. Weather,	4 34 8	4 15	head	1 29
5 4	attended with Rain,	4 34 8	5 0	☿	2 2
6 5	Thunder and	4 33 8	5 41	☿	2 20
7 6	☉ 17 II Lightning.	4 33 8	6 26	neck	2 40
8 7	D Apoge.	4 33 8	7 10	☿	3 0
9 7	2d past TRINITY.	4 32 8	8 0	arms	3 18
10 2	Twilight begins 2h 17m.	4 32 8	8 38	II	☉ 40
11 3	Inf. c. N. London, & Taunton.	4 32 8	9 22	II	8 47
12 4	sp. m sets 1h. 20m. Mor.	4 31 8	10 10	breast	9 35
13 5	There is no sufficient	4 31 8	10 54	☿	10 20
14 6	Recompence for an	4 31 8	11 42	heart	10 54
15 7	unjust slander.	4 31 8	12 30	☿	11 22
16 7	3d past TRINITY. Clear	4 31 8	1 18	belly	11 49
17 2	Inf. c. Providence. and	4 31 8	2 6	m	Morn.
18 3	Sup. c. Ipswich. serene for	4 30 8	2 58	m	0 15
19 4	☉ 28 II some Days.	4 30 8	3 50	reins	0 49
20 5	sp. m sets 12h 42m.	4 30 8	4 42	☿	1 9
21 6	☉ Perige. Longest Day	4 30 8	5 34	secrets	1 39
22 7	Days lengthened 6h.	4 30 8	6 30	m	2 9
23 7	4th past TRIN. Some	4 30 8	7 27	thighs	2 35
24 2	St. JOHN BAP. refreshing	4 31 8	8 24	☿	3 2
25 3	Inf. c. Windbam & Barnst.	4 31 8	9 20	knees	☉ rise
26 4	showers about	4 31 8	10 12	☿	9 28
27 5	this Time.	4 31 8	11 4	legs	10 5
28 6	Days Length 14h 58m	4 31 8	11 56	☿	10 33
29 7	St. PETER. Clear and serene.	4 31 8	12 44	teet	11 0
30 7	5th past TRIN.	4 31 8	1 32	☿	11 20

JULY hath 31 Days.

THE Sun with sultry Syrus now doth rise,
 And Jove's red Light'ning flashes from the skies;
 The angry Gods Heaven's Armory open flings,
 And whizzing Bolts ride forth on burning Wings.

Last Quart. 2 Day 9 Morn. New Moon 10 Day 11 Mor.	First Qua. 17 Day 7 Aftern. Full M. 24 D. 10h. 49m. Mor. Last Quar. 31 Day Midnight.
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M/W		Kalendar, &c.	ri.	set	full sea	pl.	r.	set
1	2	Inf. c. Bristol.	4	32	8	2	16	head 11 39
2	3	Inf. c. Plymouth. Hot and	4	32	8	3	0	☿ 11 59
3	4	perhaps Thunder.	4	32	8	3	44	☿ Morn
4	5	INDEPENDENCE DECLAR'D	4	33	8	4	28	neck 0 21
5	6	☉ flow of cl. 4m. (1776	4	33	8	5	12	☿ 0 42
6	7	☉ Apoge. Some	4	33	8	5	57	arms 1 18
7	8	6th past TRIN. Rain now,	4	34	8	6	40	☿ 1 56
8	2	Days Length 14h. 52m. or	4	34	8	7	24	☿ 2 30
9	3	I mistake the Planets.	4	35	8	8	10	breast 3 9
10	4	Inf. c. Boston, Salem & York.	4	36	8	8	58	☿ sets
11	5	☿ sp. sets 11h 11m.	4	36	8	9	42	heart 9 21
12	6	Observe you may, that cunning	4	37	8	10	30	☿ 9 55
13	7	Men are not always honest;	4	38	8	11	18	☿ 10 23
14	8	7th past TRIN. trust them as	4	38	8	12	6	belly 10 49
15	2	Inf. c. E. Greenwich. you	4	39	8	1	0	☿ 11 13
16	3	have try'd them.	4	40	8	1	46	reins 11 37
17	4	Commencement Cambridge.	4	40	8	2	34	☿ Morn
18	5	☿ Perige. As Sol's bright	4	41	8	3	26	secrets 0 4
19	6	Kissage paint the	4	42	8	4	18	☿ 0 33
20	7	ætherial skies,	4	43	8	5	14	highs 0 54
21	8	8th past TRIN. ☉ in ☿	4	43	8	6	10	☿ 1 38
22	2	may Liberty in	4	44	8	7	4	knee 2 20
23	3	☿ sp. sets 10h. 22m.	4	45	8	8	2	☿ 3 0
24	4	all her Glory rise.	4	46	8	8	54	legs Drive
25	5	DOG DAYS begin. Thun-	4	47	8	9	50	☿ 8 39
26	6	der, and perhaps some	4	48	8	10	42	feet 9 14
27	7	Days Length 14h. 22m	4	49	8	11	34	☿ 9 40
28	8	Twilight ends 9h. 10m.	4	50	8	12	18	☿ 10 0
29	2	Rain.	4	51	8	1	2	head 10 20
30	3	Clear and serene.	4	52	8	1	50	☿ 10 40
31	4	☉ flow clock 6m.	4	53	8	2	38	neck 11

AUGUST hath 31 Days.

SEE how the skies with gath'ring Darkness low'r,
The Branches rustle with the threatn'd shower :
With sudden Blasts the Forest murmurs loud,
Indented Lightnings cleave the sable Cloud.

New Moon 10 Day 50m Att.		Full Moon 22 Day 9 Aftern	
First Quart. 15 Day Midnight		Last Quart. 30 Day 7 After	
M/W	Kalendar, &c.	[r. O. s.] full sea D's spl. [r. O. s.]	
1 5	● Apoge. Very hot	4 54 8	3 26 8 11 29
2 6	sp. the sets 9h. 43m.	4 55 8	4 10 8 11 59
3 7	The clouds denote a	4 56 8	5 0 arms Morn
4 8	10th past TRIN. storm.	4 57 8	5 38 II 0 36
5 2	Days Length 14h 4m	4 58 8	6 22 breast 1 20
6 3	Truth is stronger	4 59 8	7 6 25 2 0
7 4	than the Unicorn.	5 0 7	7 50 25 2 43
8 5	A storm is near	5 1 7	8 34 heart D sets
9 6	○ slow cl. 5m. at Hand.	5 2 7	9 22 Ω 7 56
10 7	7*s rise 10h. 39m.	5 4 7	10 6 belly 8 23
11 8	11th past TRIN.	5 5 7	10 0 8 8 50
12 2	Inf. c. S. Kingd.	5 6 7	11 50 reins 9 14
13 3	Sup. c. Litchfield & Portsmouth.	5 7 7	12 42 9 31
14 4	Pretty good	5 8 7	1 34 secrets 10 12
15 5	● Perige. Weather.	5 9 7	2 26 m 10 30
16 6	Clear and hot Days,	5 11 7	3 20 thighs 11 0
17 7	but cool Nights	5 12 7	4 12 f 11 45
18 8	12th past TRIN. and	5 13 7	5 8 knees Morn
19 2	Mornings, about	5 14 7	6 0 12 0 45
20 3	Sup. c. Fairfield. this	5 16 7	6 52 12 1 50
21 4	Days length 13h 26m Time.	5 17 7	7 44 legs 3 1
22 5	A N. E. storm is	5 18 7	8 38 25 ● life
23 6	Twilight ends 8h 21m.	5 19 7	9 26 feet 7 32
24 7	coming.	5 21 7	10 4 X 7 51
25 8	13th past TRIN.	5 22 7	11 0 head 8 10
26 2	A cool Air.	5 23 7	11 42 v 8 30
27 3	sup. c. N. Haven & Boston.	5 25 7	12 26 v 8 49
28 4	(Inf. c. Springfield)	5 26 7	1 10 neck 9 20
29 5	D Apog. 7*s rise 9h 40m	5 27 7	1 54 8 9 50
30 6	serene and pleasant.	5 28 7	2 42 arms 10 21
31 7	○ and Clock together.	5 30 7	3 22 11 11 0

SEPTEMBER hath 30 Days.

THE Apples now on loaded Branches shine,
 Whose grateful Juice vies with the generous Wine.
 Leave Rum for sots; and with a modest sneer,
 Let Farmers boast the Virtues of their Beer.

New Moon 7 Day 10 Morn. Full ☉ 21 Day 9h 42m Morn.
 First Quart. 14 Day 5 Mor. Last Quar. 29 Day, Noon.

M/W	Kalendar, &c.	ri. ☉	set	full sea	☉ spl.	r. ☉
1 F	14th past TRINITY.	5	31 7	4 0	II	1 46
2 2	Days Length 12h. 56m.	5	32 7	4 50	breast	Morn
3 3	sup: c. Hartford, I. c. Concord.	5	34 7	5 38	☽	0 48
4 4	DOG DAYS end.	5	35 7	6 22	heart	1 54
5 5	A thick Air.	5	36 7	7 14	☉	3 0
6 6	A storm is	5	38 7	7 56	belly	4 7
7 7	D Horary mot. 35. coming	5	39 7	9 0	☽	D least
8 F	15th past TRIN. on.	5	40 7	9 48	reins	7 17
9 2	☉ fast clock 4m.	5	42 7	10 40	☽	7 41
10 3	Inf. c. Taunton. Clear	5	43 7	11 32	secrets	8 8
11 4	Commencement New-Haven.	5	44 7	12 28	m	8 38
12 5	☉ Perige. and Pleasant	5	46 7	1 24	highs	9 21
13 6	Twilight begins 4h 10m.	5	47 7	2 12	☽	10 9
14 7	7* rise 8h. 41m. for	5	49 7	3 4	☽	11 3
15 F	16th past TRIN. some	5	50 7	3 56	knee:	Mor
16 2	Sup. c. Providence. Days.	5	51 7	4 48	☽	0 8
17 3	Sup. c. Winabam & Worcest.	5	53 7	5 40	legs	1 15
18 4	Brisk Winds	5	54 7	6 28	☽	2 24
19 5	and clouds up	5	55 7	7 16	feet	3 34
20 6	for a storm.	5	57 7	8 8	☽	4 47
21 7	St. MATTHIAS.	5	58 7	9 0	☽	☉ 11
22 F	17th past TRIN. Equinox.	5	59 7	9 44	head	7 0
23 2	Days Length 11h 59m.	6	1 6	10 28	☽	7 18
24 3	sup. c. N. London & Springf.	6	2 6	11 12	neck	7 42
25 4	(Inf. c. Litchfield	6	4 6	11 52	☽	8 7
26 5	A scene as dark as Night,	6	5 6	12 40	arms	8 35
27 6	Pleasant for some in the	6	7 6	1 24	II	9 16
28 7	☉ flow of cl. 10m. End	6	8 6	2 8	II	10 0
29 F	Days. turns out bright	6	9 6	2 52	breast	10 47
30 2	Cool Nights and Mornings.	6	1 6	3 36	☽	11 38

NOVEMBER hath 30 Days.

THE vegitable Life expires with Pain,
In hopes to live another Life again;
Their Faith in future vernal Doom they prize.
Dead Plants in Nature's Resurrection rise.

New M. 5 Day 6h 17 Mor. Full M. 19 Day 7h. 13m. Alt
First Quar. 11 Day 10 After Last Quar. 27 Day 9 After.

M|W| Kalendar, &c. |ri. ☉ set|ful sea|☉ pla.|r. ☉|.

1	6	ALL SAINTS.	clouds	6	53	6	5	22	m	2	10
2	7	ALL SOULS.	up for	6	54	6	6	24	reins	3	20
3	F	23d past TRI.	a	6	55	6	7	19	☾	4	30
4	2	cold storm		6	57	6	8	18	secret	5	40
5	3	Inf. c. Hartforda sup. c. Salem		6	58	6	9	14	m	☾	sets
6	4	☉ Perige.	now !!!	6	59	6	10	12	thighs	5	55
7	5	clears off pleasant,		7	0	5	11	6	☿	6	43
8	6	7* s f. 12h. 56m. A.T. but		7	1	5	12	2	knees	7	39
9	7	☉ fast clock 16m. soon		7	3	5	1	0	☿	8	54
10	F	24th past TRIN.	changes	7	4	5	1	50	legs	10	0
11	2	to Rain.		7	5	5	2	38	☿	11	5
12	3	Inf. c. N. Haven & Northamp.		7	6	5	3	30	☿	Morn	
13	4	Fair Weather.		7	7	5	4	18	feet	0	8
14	5	Days length 9h. 44m.		7	8	5	5	2	☿	1	18
15	6	Unsettled Weather,		7	9	5	5	46	head	2	28
16	7	and cold Winds.		7	10	5	6	34	☿	3	35
17	F	25th past TRIN.		7	11	5	7	20	neck	4	48
18	2	More foul		7	12	5	8	2	☿	5	58
19	3	Inf. c. Fairfield.	Weather	7	13	5	8	42	☿	☉	rise
20	4	☉ Apoge.	Twilight be-	7	14	5	9	26	arms	5	7
21	5	near at hand. (gins 5h 30m		7	15	5	10	10	☿	5	45
22	6	☉ enters ☿ oh. 56m. Morn.		7	16	5	10	54	breast	6	31
23	7	Blustering, cold, and		7	17	5	11	36	☿	7	21
24	F	26th past TRIN.	chilly.	7	18	5	12	20	☿	8	22
25	2	7* s south 11h. 44m. A.T.		7	19	5	1	4	heart	9	22
26	3	Inf. c. Norwich.	snow,	7	19	5	1	48	☿	10	36
27	4	☉ fast clock 12m. rain,		7	20	5	2	32	belly	11	50
28	5	Days Length 9h 18m		7	21	5	3	16	m	Morn	
29	6	flying clouds and		7	22	5	4	8	m	0	5
30	7	St. ANDREW.	chilly.	7	22	5	5	0	reins	2	20

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DECEMBER hath 31 Days.

NECTORIAN Cyder now with Pork and Beef,
Gives many an aching Stomach great Relief:
And he that has n^t these, nor Money in his Purse,
His Case is bad, and's likely to be worse.

New M. 4 Day 4^h 28^m Aft.
First Quart. 11 Day Noon.

Full Moon 19 Day 2 Aft.
Last Quart. 27 Day 11 Morn

M/W	Kalendar, &c.	ri.	set	full	sea	pla.	r. D.
1 F	ADVENT.	7 23 5	5 56	☾			3 45
2 27	*s fo. 11h. 10m. A. T.	7 24 5	6 52	secrets			4 45
3 3	Inf. c. Barnst. & Worcest.	7 24 5	7 49	m			5 53
4 4	D Perige. Old Boreas	7 25 5	8 46	signs			D sets
5 5	Inf. c. Portsm. has	7 25 5	9 30	☿			5 18
6 6	☉ fast clock 8m. renewed	7 26 5	10 26	knees			6 23
7 7	his Attack, and	7 26 5	11 22	♄			7 30
8 F	2d in ADVENT. brought	7 27 5	12 14	legs			8 40
9 2	Destruction on the	7 27 5	1 6	☿			9 50
10 3	Inf. c. Windb. & Plym.	7 28 5	2 0	feet			10 56
11 4	vegetable Kingdom.	7 28 5	2 42	☿			Morn
12 5	Cold Wood burns now	7 28 5	3 26	head			0 2
13 6	Weather, & perhaps quicker	7 29 5	4 14	☿			1 10
14 7	snow or rain than it grows.	7 29 5	4 58	☿			2 15
15 F	3d in ADVENT. is near.	7 29 5	5 42	neck			3 20
16 2	Inf. c. Providence. Chilly	7 29 5	6 26	☿			4 30
17 3	Inf. c. Taunton. D Apoge.	7 30 5	7 10	arms			5 36
18 4	Twilight ends 6 15m winds	7 30 5	7 56	☿			6 22
19 5	A storm so far off.	7 30 5	8 52	☿			☉ rise
20 6	Days length 9h. om.	7 30 5	9 36	breast			5 4
21 7	shortest Day.	7 30 5	10 20	☿			6 4
22 F	4th in ADVENT.	7 30 5	11 4	heart			7 6
23 2	*s fo. 9h. 26m. A. T.	7 30 5	11 52	☿			8 10
24 3	clear weather,	7 30 5	12 40	☿			9 15
25 4	CHRISTMAS. but soon	7 29 5	1 24	belly			10 24
26 5	changes to	7 29 5	2 16	☿			11 36
27 6	rain or snow.	7 29 5	3 8	reins			Morn
28 7	chilly winds.	7 29 5	3 56	☿			0 50
29 F	SUNDAY past CHRISTMAS.	7 29 5	4 48	secrets			2 8
30 2	☉ flow of cl. 3m.	7 28 5	5 44	m			3 26
31 3	Inf. c. Salem. ☉ Per. ADIEU.	7 28 5	6 40	signs			4 42

The LADIES DRESS: A RECEIPT.

GIVE Chloe a bushel of horse hair and wool,
Of paste and pomatum a pound.
Ten yards of gay ribband to deck her sweet skull,
And gauze to encompass it round.

Of all the bright colours the rainbow displays
Be those ribbands which hang on her head ;
Be her flounces adapted to make the folks gaze,
And about the whole work be they spread.

Let her flaps fly behind, for a yard at the least,
Let her curls meet just under her chin ;
Let these curls be supported, to keep up the jest,
With an hundred, instead of one pin.

Let her gown be tuck'd up to the hip on each side ;
Shoes too high for to walk or to jump ;
And to deck the sweet creature complete for a bride,
Let the cork cutter make her a rump.

Thus finish'd in taste, while on chloe you gaze,
You may take the dear charmer for life ;
But never undress her—for, out of her flays
You'll find you have lost half your wife.

The BEAU.

THE dress of the Beaux it were hard to reduce
To the laws of reason or sense ;
Let us try then for once what a verse may produce
To chase the absurdities hence.

To begin with the skull—tho' there's nothing in that,
With powder 'tis strangely bespread,
An umbrilla is scarce of the size of the hat,
Which is five times too big for the head.

The coat is all buttons, it's cape is all black,
The breeches too big by a mile ;
A tail of a yard long depends on the back,
Which would make e'en an Anchoret smile.

While

While dangles the cane from the lilly white hand,
And the buckles quite cover the shoe,
The neck is tied up in a fine tagged band,
And the visage with rouge is made new.

Away then, Sir Fopling, with nonsense like this,
And adopt a more rational plan;
While you dress like a puppet, and paint like a miss,
We cannot believe 'tis a man.

The BATCHELOR'S WISH.

IF marriage gives happiness to life,
Such be the woman who shall be my wife :
Beautious as height of fancy can express,
Meek in her nature, cleanly in her dress :
Wife without pride, and pleasing without art,
With chearful aspect, and with honest heart ;
To sooth my cares, most high, most sweet her song,
To blame my faults, most low, most kind her tongue :
In looser hours, in hours more dull, still dear,
A gay companion, and a friend sincere :
Fond without folly, spirit'ous without rage,
And as in youth shall seem the same in age.

Ye pow'rs above, if such a woman be,
(Such cou'd ye make) that woman give to me :
She as a *wife* must please, and she alone :
O ! give me such a wife, or give me none.

A remarkable Instance of DESPERATE RESOLUTION.

IN the Year 1705, the Spaniards attempted to take Gibraltar by Surprise, which would probably have been effected had they not been timely discovered ; for 500 desperate Spaniards got into St. Michael's Cave, with the greatest Difficulty and Hazard, and were to have fallen on the back of the Town while the Besiegers made a general Assault on the Front ; but being discovered before their Design was ripe for Execution, they were attacked by a Detachment of the Garrison, and refusing to take Quarters, all jumped down the vast Precipice, their Commander leading the Way, and perished, not one out of the 500 escaped.

The following Sketch of General WASHINGTON'S LIFE and CHARACTER, has been printed in a Pamphlet in England for the Benefit of the American Prisoners confined there; with a poetical Epistle prefixed thereto. Wrote by an Inhabitant of the State of Maryland.

A Sketch of General WASHINGTON'S LIFE and CHARACTER.

Maryland, May 3d 1779.

IN Compliance with the Request you made me in your last obliging Letter, I set down to inform you of every interesting Particular that has come to my Knowledge concerning the Life and Character of General WASHINGTON; and I do this with the greater Cheerfulness, as I flatter myself I shall be able to communicate a more accurate and circumstantial Account of this illustrious Personage than has ever hitherto been laid before the Public. If from what I shall say, the Knowledge you already have of this excellent Man can be any way improved, or any Lustre can be added to that brilliancy of Character, which you give me to understand he possesses in the Eyes of Europe, I shall deem the Pains I have been at, in procuring the following Intelligence, as highly compensated.

GENERAL WASHINGTON is the third Son of Mr. Augustine Washington, a Man of large Property and distinguished Reputation in the State of Virginia: An Ancestor of this Gentleman, about the Period of the Revolution, sold his Property near Cave, in the East Riding of Yorkshire, and came over to Virginia, where he purchased Lands in King George's County; and it was here that our Hero was born on the 22d of February, in the Year 1733. In this County he has at this Time three Brothers, Samuel, John, and Charles, all Gentlemen of considerable landed Property, and a Sister who is married to Col. Fielding Lewis. His elder Brother Lawrence, who went out a Captain of the American Troops raised for the Carthage Expedition, married the Daughter of the Honorable William Fairfax, of Belvoir, in Virginia, by whom he left one Daughter, who dying young, and his second Brother also dying without Issue, the General succeeded to the Family-Seat, which in Compliment to the gallant Admiral of that Name, is called Mount Vernon, and is delightfully situated on the Potowmack River, a few Miles below Alexandria.

General Washington is the eldest Son by a second Marriage; and having never been out of America, was educated (as Youths of Fortune in this Country generally are) under the Eye of his Father by private Tutorage; A slight Tincture of the Latin Tongue, a grammatical Knowledge of his Mother-Tongue, and the elements of Mathematics, were the chief Objects he was taught to pursue. For a few Years after he quitted his Tutor, he applied himself to the practical Part of Surveying (a Knowledge of which is essentially requisite to Men of landed Property in this Country) and was appointed Surveyor to a certain District in Virginia; an Employment rather creditable than lucrative; though it afforded him an Opportunity of choosing some valuable Tracts of Land, and made him thoroughly acquainted with the frontier Country.

On the Governor and Council of Virginia receiving Orders from England, in October, 1753, to repel by Force the Encroachments of the French on the western Frontiers, along the Rivers Ohio and de Bousf, Mr. Washington, then a Major in the Provincial Service, and an Adjutant-General of their Forces, was dispatched by General Dinwiddie with a Letter to the Commander in Chief of the French on the Ohio, complaining of the Inroads they were making, in direct Violation of the Treaties then subsisting between the two Crowns; he had also Instructions to treat with the Six Nations, & other Tribes of Western Indians, and to engage them to continue firm in their attachment to England. He set out on this perilous Embassy, with about 15 Attendants, late in October, 1753; and so far succeeded, that on his return with Monsieur de St. Pierre's Answer, and his good Success in the Indian Negotiations, he was complimented with the Thanks and Approbation of his Country. His Journal of the whole Transaction was published in Virginia, and does great Credit to his Industry, Attention, & Judgment; and it has since proved of infinite Service to those who have been doomed to traverse the same inhospitable Tracts.

Soon after this, the designs of the French becoming more manifest, Orders were issued out by Administration for the Colonies to arm and unite in one Confederacy. The Assembly of Virginia took the Lead by voting a Sum of Money for the public Service, and raising a Regiment of 400 Men for the Protection of the Frontiers of the Colony. Colonel Washington, then about 23 Years of Age, was appointed to the Command of his Regiment, and before the end of May, in the ensuing Year, came up with a strong Party of the French and Indians, at a Place called Red-stone, which he effectually routed, after having taken & killed 50 Men. Among the Prisoners were the celebrated Woods-Men Monsieur de la Force, and two other Officers, from whom Col. Washington had undoubted Intelligence, that the French Force on the Ohio consisted of upwards of 1000 Regulars, and some Hundreds of Indians. Upon this Intelligence, altho' his little Army was somewhat reduced, and entirely insufficient to act offensively against the French and Indians, yet he pushed on towards his Enemy to a good Post; where, in order to wait the arrival of some expected Succour from New-York and Pennsylvania, he entrenched himself, and built a small Fort, called Fort Necessity. At this Post he remained unmolested, and without any Succour, until the July following; when his small Force, reduced now to less than 300 Men, was attacked by an Army of French and Indians of 1100 and upwards, under the Command of the Sieur de Villiers. The Virginians sustained the Attack of the Enemy's whole Force for several Hours, and laid near 200 of them dead in the Field, when the French Commander, discouraged by such determined Resolution, proposed the less dangerous Method of dislodging his Enemy by a Parley, which ended in an honorable Capitulation. It was stipulated that Colonel Washington should march away with all the honors of War, and be allowed to carry off all his military Stores, Effects, and Baggage. This Capitulation was violated from the ungovernable Disposition of the Savages, whom the French Commander could not restrain from plundering the Provincials on the onset of their March, and from making a considerable slaughter of Men, Cattle & Horses.—The French redoubled their Activity & Diligence on the Ohio, and in other Places, during the Winter of 1754 and the following Spring.—Virginia had determined to send out a larger Force; the Forts Cumberland

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and Loudon were built, and a Camp was formed at Wills-Creek, from thence to annoy the Enemy on the Ohio. In these several Services (particularly in the Construction of the Forts) Colonel Washington was principally employed, when he was summoned to attend General Braddock, who with his Army arrived at Alexandria, in Virginia, in May, 1755. The Design of sending out that Army, was to penetrate through the Country to Fort du Quesne (now Fort Pitt) by the Route of Wills-Creek; and as no Person was better acquainted with the Frontier Country than Colonel Washington, and no one in the Colony enjoyed so well established a military Character, he was judged highly serviceable to General Braddock, and cheerfully quitted his Command to act as a Volunteer and Aid-de Camp under that unfortunate General. The Particulars of the Defeat and almost total Ruin of Braddock's Army, consisting of 2000 Regular British Forces, and near 800 Provincials, are too well known to need a Repetition: It is allowed on all Sides, that the haughty positive Behaviour of the General, his high Contempt of the Provincial Officers and Soldiers, and his disdainful Obstinacy in rejecting their Advice, were the genuine Causes of this fatal Disaster. With what Resolution and Steadiness the Provincials and their gallant Commander behaved on this trying Occasion, and in covering the confused Retreat of the Army, let every British Officer and Soldier confess, who were rescued from Slaughter on that calamitous Day by their Valour and Conduct.

After General Braddock's Disaster, the Colony of Virginia found it necessary to establish her Militia, raise more Men, strengthen her Forts, undertake Expeditions to check the Inroads of the Enemy, &c. &c. &c. in all which important Services Col. Washington bore a principal Share, and acquitted himself to the utmost Satisfaction of his Country, by displaying on every Occasion the most persevering Industry, personal Courage, and military Abilities. He was again appointed to the Command of the Virginia Troops, and held it with singular Credit till his Resignation in 1759, when he married the young Widow of Mr. Custis, his present Lady, with whom he had a Fortune of £20,000 Sterling in her own Right, besides her Dower in one of the principal Estates in Virginia. From this Period he became as assiduous to serve the State as a Senator, as he had hitherto been active to defend it as a Soldier. For several Years he represented Frederick County, and had a Seat for Fairfax County, at the Time he was appointed by the Assembly, in conformity with the universal Wish of the People, to be one of their four Delegates at the first General Congress. It was with no small Reluctance that he engaged again in the active Scenes of Life; and I sincerely believe, that no Motives but such as spring from a most disinterested Patriotism could have ever prevailed upon him to relinquish the most refined domestic Pleasures, which it was ever in his Power to command, and the great Delight he took in Farming, and the improvement of his Estate.

You well know that General Washington is, perhaps, the greatest Landholder in America (the Proprietors of Pennsylvania, Maryland, and the Northern Neck, excepted,) for besides his Lady's Fortune, and £10,000 falling to him by the Death of her only Daughter, he has large Tracts of Land taken up by himself early in Life, some considerable Purchases made from Officers who had Lands allotted them for their Services; and has, moreover, made great Additions to his Estate at Mount Vernon. It is impossible in this Country, as in England, to rate the Value of Estates by

their

their annual Rent or Income, because they are universally tilled by Negroes, and in the Hands of Landholders. There are many Estates in the middle Colonies, which never produced a clear Income to their Owners of 500 a Year, that may be easily sold for £ 40,000. General Washington's, however, will not be over-rated, if set down at a good Four Thousand Pounds English per Annum, and his whole Property could not be bought for forty Years Purchase.

When it was determined at length in Congress, after every Step towards an Accommodation had failed, and every Pétition from America had been scornfully rejected, to repel by Force the Invasion from Great-Britain, the Eyes of the whole Continent were immediately turned upon Mr. Washington. With one common Voice he was called forth to the Defence of his Country; and it is perhaps his peculiar Glory, that there was not a single Inhabitant of these States, except himself, who did not approve the Choice, and place the firmest Confidence in his Integrity and Abilities*. He arrived at Cambridge, in New-England, in July, 1775, and there took the supreme Command of the Armies of America. He was received at Camp with that heart felt Exultation which superior Merit can alone inspire, after having, in his Progress through the several States, received every Mark of Affection and Esteem which they conceived were due to the Man, whom the whole Continent looked up to for Safety and Freedom.

As he always refused to accept of any pecuniary Appointment for his public Services, no Salary has been annexed by Congress to his important Command, and he only draws weekly for the Expences of his public Table, and other necessary Demands. General Washington having never been in Europe, could not possibly have seen much military Service when the Armies of Britain were sent to subdue us; yet still, for a variety of Reasons, he was by much the most proper Man on this Continent, and probably anywhere else, to be placed at the Head of an American Army. The very high Estimation he stood in for Integrity and Honor, his engaging in the Cause of his Country from Sentiment and a conviction of her Wrongs, his Moderation in Politics, his extensive Property, and his approved Abilities as a Commander, were Motives which necessarily obliged the Choice of America to fall upon him. That Nature has given him extraordinary Military Talents, will hardly be controverted by his most bitter Enemies; and having been early actuated with a warm Passion to serve his Country in the military Line, he has greatly improved them by unwearied Industry, and a close Application to the best Writers upon Tactics; and by a more than common Method and Exactness; and, in Reality, when it comes to be considered that at first he only headed a body of Men entirely unacquainted with military Discipline or Operations, somewhat ungovernable in Temper, and who at best could only be filled an alert and good Militia, acting under very short Instructions, unclothed, unaccounted, and at all Times very ill supplied with Ammunition and Artillery; and that with such an Army he withstood the Ravages and Progress of near 40,000 Veteran Troops, plentifully provided with every necessary Article, commanded by the bravest Officers in Europe, and supported by a very powerful Navy, which effectually prevented all Movements by Water; when, I say, all this comes to be impartially considered, I think I may venture to pronounce that

* It is somewhat singular, that even in England not one Reflection was ever cast, or the least disrespectful Word uttered against him.

that General Washington will be regarded by mankind as one of the greatest military Ornaments of the present Age, and that his Name will command the Veneration of the latest Posterity.

I would not mention to you the Person of this excellent Man, were I not convinced that it bears great Analogy to the Qualifications of his Mind.—General Washington is now in the Forty seventh Year of his Age; he is a tall well-made Man, rather large-boned, and has a tolerably genteel Address: His Features are manly and bold, his Eyes of a bluish Cast, and very lively; his Hair a deep Brown, his Face rather long, and marked with the Small-Pox; his Complexion Sun burnt, and without much Colour, and his Countenance sensible, composed, and thoughtful; there is a remarkable Air of Dignity about him, with a striking Degree of Gracefulness: He has an excellent Understanding, without much Quickness; is strictly just, vigilant and generous; an affectionate Husband, a faithful Friend, a Father to the deserving Soldier; gentle in his Manners, in Temper rather reserved; a total Stranger to religious Prejudices, which have so often excited Christians of one Denomination to cut the Throats of those of another; in his Morals irreproachable; he was never known to exceed the Bounds of the most rigid Temperance: In a Word, all his Friends and Acquaintance universally allow, that no Man ever united in his own Person a more perfect Alliance of the Virtue of a Philosopher with the Talents of a General. Candour, Sincerity, Affability and Simplicity, seem to be the striking Features of his Character, till an Occasion offers of displaying the most determined Bravery and Independence of Spirit.

Such, my good Friend, is the Man to whom America has intrusted her important Cause. Hitherto she has had every Reason to be satisfied with her Choice; and most ungrateful would she be to the great Disposer of human Events, were she not to render him unremitting Thanks for having provided her with such a Citizen at such a Crisis. Most Nations have been favoured with some patriotic Deliverer: The Israelites had their Moses; Rome her Camillus; Greece her Leonidas; Sweden her Gustavus; and England her Hampden's, her Russells, her Sidney's: But these illustrious Heroes, though successful in preserving and defending, did not, like Washington, form or establish Empires, which will be the Refuge or Asylum of Liberty, banished from Europe by Luxury and Corruption. Must not therefore your Heart beat with conscious Pride at the Prospect of your Friend's being ranked among (if not above) those illustrious Patriots? at the enchanting Thought, that he, whom you know and love, shall be acknowledged by present and future Generations as their great Deliverer, and the chief Instrument in the Hands of the Almighty for laying the Foundation of that Freedom and Happiness which, I trust, await the future Myriads of this vast Continent?

Difference of HIGH WATER at several Places from NEW LONDON.

AT New-York, Tarpaulin Cove and Say brook Bar the same as New-London.—at Rhode Island and Amboy 40 Minutes sooner.—at Providence 25 Minutes sooner.—at Sandy-Hook 2 Hours and 40 Minutes sooner.—at Albany 3 Hours and 10 Minutes sooner.—at Boston 2 Hours and 10 Minutes late.—at Guilford and New-Haven 2 Hours and 50 Minutes later.—at Philadelphia 5 Hours 20 Minutes later.—at Norwich-Landing 4 Minutes later.—at Southold Harbour 2 Hours and 10 Minutes later.

A TABLE of INTEREST at 6 per Cent.

	1 Month.	2 Months.	3 Months.	4 Months.	6 Months.	A Year.
s.	d.	q.	d.	q.	d.	q.
1	0	0	0	0	0	0
2	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	1	0	0	0	0
4	0	1	0	0	0	0
5	0	1	0	0	0	0
6	0	1	0	0	0	0
7	0	2	0	0	0	0
8	0	2	0	0	0	0
9	0	2	0	0	0	0
10	0	2	0	0	0	0

£.	s.	d.	q.	s.	d.	q.	s.	d.	q.	s.	d.	q.	s.	d.	q.
1	0	1	1	0	2	2	0	3	2	0	4	3	0	7	1
2	0	2	2	0	4	3	0	7	1	0	9	2	1	2	2
3	0	3	2	0	7	1	0	10	3	2	1	9	2	3	7
4	0	4	3	0	9	2	1	6	2	1	7	1	4	3	4
5	0	6	0	1	0	0	1	9	0	2	0	0	3	0	6
6	0	7	1	1	2	2	1	1	2	2	4	2	3	7	1
7	0	8	2	1	4	3	2	1	1	2	9	2	4	2	8
8	0	9	2	1	7	1	2	4	3	3	2	2	4	9	2
9	0	10	3	1	9	3	2	8	2	3	7	1	5	4	3

£.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
10	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	4	0	0	6	0
20	0	2	0	0	4	0	0	6	0	0	8	0	0	12	0
30	0	3	0	0	6	0	0	9	0	0	12	0	0	18	0
40	0	4	0	0	8	0	0	12	0	0	16	0	0	24	0
50	0	5	0	0	10	0	0	15	0	0	20	0	0	30	0
60	0	6	0	0	12	0	0	18	0	0	24	0	0	36	0
70	0	7	0	0	14	0	0	21	0	0	28	0	0	42	0
80	0	8	0	0	16	0	0	24	0	0	32	0	0	48	0
90	0	9	0	0	18	0	0	27	0	0	36	0	0	54	0
100	0	10	0	0	20	0	0	30	0	0	40	0	0	60	0

FREEMEN'S MEETINGS in the State of CONNECTICUT, as established by Law, viz.

IN the Counties of New-London and Windham, on the 2d Tuesday in September. And,

In the Counties of Hartford, New Haven, Fairfield and Litchfield, on the third Tuesday in September.

And in every Town in the State, on the Monday next following the first Tuesday in April, at 9 o'Clock in the Morning.

Distance of the principal Towns in New-England from
NEW-LONDON, with the most noted Houses of
Entertainment on the Road.

Middle Road to BOSTON.

Haughton,	_____	7
Trott,	Norwich	7
Burnham,	Newent	7
Eaton,	Plainfield	8
Durance,	Voluntown	4
Knox,	Coventry	4
Taylor,	Scituate	4
Angel,	_____	6
Fiske,	Johnson	4
Fry,	Providence	8
Dagget,	Attleboro'	9
Maxcey,	_____	4
Menn,	Wrentham	5
Harris,	Walpole	6
Robbins,	_____	2
Dean,	Dedham	7
Ames or Gay,	_____	2
	BOSTON	11

Road to Boston by Worcester.

Haughton,	_____	7
Trott,	Norwich	7
Burnham,	Newent	7
Bingham,	Canterbury	6
Cleveland,	_____	3
Abbot,	Brooklin	4
Grosvenor,	Pomfret	7
_____	Woodstock	4
Carter,	Dudley	8
Bellows,	Oxford	6
Cutler,	_____	1
Stearns,	Worcester	11
Furnas,	Shrewsbury	5
Martin,	Northboro'	6
Williams,	Marlboro'	5
Bryant,	Sudbury	12
Smith,	Weston	4
Saltmarsh,	Watertown	6
	BOSTON	9

*Road to NEW-HAVEN and
NEW YORK*

Durfee,	Rope-Ferry	5
Anderson,	Lyme	8
Parsons,	_____	2
Whittlesey,	Say Brook Ferry	1
Dudley,	Say Brook	4
Leigh,	_____	5
Crane, Buell,	Killingworth	4
Caldwell, Hull,	Guilford	9
Baldwin,	Branford	10
Smith,	New Haven	9
Woodruff,	Milford	6
Olcott,	Stratford	8
Bulkley,	Fairfield	7
Ketchum,	Norwalk	12
Fitch,	Stamford	10
Marvel,	Rye	10
Sutton,	Meringeek	7
Bailey,	New Rochel	3
Butler,	East-Chester	4
King's-Bridge,	_____	16
	NEW-YORK,	11

Another Road to BOSTON.

Sabin,	Pomfret	40
Convers,	Thomson	6
Jacobs,	_____	5
Parker,	Killingly	5
Hill,	Douglass	3
Wood,	Uxbridge	4
Keith,	Mendon	6
Amadon,	_____	1
Hill,	Holiston	7
Clark,	Midway	3
Clark,	Medfield	6
Ellis,	Dedham	6
Ames,	_____	3
	BOSTON	11

Post Road to HARTFORD, by

MIDDLETOWN.

Wheeler,	2
Allen,	6
Gardner, Colchester	3
Worthington, —	4
Kellog, }	3
Tainter, }	
Cornwel, Chatham	9
Taylor, —	3
Bush, —	3
Brewster, }	
Fenno, }	Middletown 1
Chauncey, Upper-houses	2
Grimes, Rocky-Hill	6
Wright, }	
Stillman, }	Wethersfield 3
Baxter, }	
Bull, }	HARTFORD 4

Road to SUSQUEHANNAH.

G. Allen, N. quarter Lyme	16
E. Had. Chapman's Ferry	8
Madison, Brainerd,	6
Darnum, Camp,	10
Wallingford, Johnson,	8
Cheshire, Doolittle,	11
Waterbury, Brownson,	6
Woodbury, Walker,	10
Ditto, Row,	6
New-Milford, Canfield,	7
New-Fairfield, Barnes,	9
Dover, Ross,	3
Baker,	6
North River, Storm,	16
Owen,	19
Wills,	13
Ducker,	5
Delaware River,	8
Colefax,	4
Sheoly, Shaw,	9
Sceley,	7

No. } Lackaway Fort,	7
Howe } Great Swamp,	12
Providence, Kyes,	11
Susquehanna R. Jenkins,	7

Road to Dartmouth College.

Haughton, —	7
Lathrop, Norwich	7
Rudd, —	4
Cary, Windham	8
Clark, Ashford	14
Lomis, Union	7
Conv. s, Brimfield	11
Cheekeby River	4
Quinten, Palmer	2
Dwight, Belchertown	10
Field, Amherst	3
Billings, Sunderland	6
Root, Montague	14
Hunt, Northfield	6
Tailor, Hinsdale	11
Snow, Chesterfield	9
Bute field, Westmoreland	9
Bellows, Walpole	9
Walker, Number four	8
Wait, Claremont	8
Chate, Cornish	10
Smith, Plainfield	5
Turner, Lebanon	5
Pain. or the College,	5

Road to NEWPORT.

Belton, Groton	5
Dennison,	3
Stanton, Stonington	4
Thomson, Westerly	7
Blevin, —	2
Champlin, Charlestown	6
Hawkins, S. Kingston	10
Sands, Tower-Hill	4
Martin, Narraganset Ferry	4
Ferry and Conanicut Island	4
Newport	2